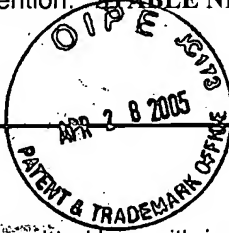

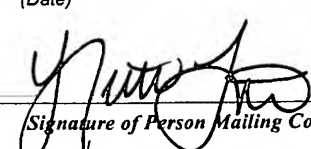
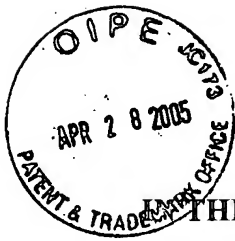


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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b>					Docket No. <b>109015-24</b>	
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